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CATALOGUE

—OF THE—

TUSKEGEE

State Normal School,

—AT—

TUSKEGEE, ALABAMA

FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR

1886--87

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Students.

SENIOR CLASS.

Bowen, Berry N.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Bowen, Kaziah.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Cropper, Lula M.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Kennedy, Orlean D.....Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa "
Lyman, Minnie T.....Marietta, Ga.
Strong, Missouri.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Thomas, Cornelia.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Varner, Clara.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Anthony, William J.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Boyd, Smart B.....Cotton Valley, Macon "
Broadnax, J. Turner.....Augusta, Ga.
Floyd, William D.....Opelika, Lee Co.
Gregory, William.....Dick's Creek, Macon "
McCann, Woodie I.....Gainesville, Sumter "
McLemore, John F.....Cusseta, Chambers "
Motley, John B.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Murphy, Sidney M.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Rutledge, John T.....Strata, Montgomery "
Thweatt, Raymond S.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Wood, Andrew J.....Lowndesboro, Lowndes "

A MIDDLE CLASS.

Adams, Letitia B.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Bowen, Katie A.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Evans, Willie M.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Hunt, Sarah L.....Sparta, Ga.
Lyman, Eugenia.....Opelika, Lee Co.
McCullough, Mary.....Oswichee, Russell "
Smith, Caroline.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Smith, Mary.....Columbus, Ga.
Stevens, Emma C.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Stevens, Mary V.....Selma, Dallas "
Thomas, Ella.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Trimble, Aurelia.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Trimble, Carrie.....Montgomery, Montgomery "

White, Mamie A.....Opelika, Lee Co.
Williams, Ella L.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Abercrombie, Nicholas E.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Anderson, Robert E.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Brown, John E.....Chanahatchee, Elmore "
Buchanan, Watt.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Carlisle, Henry A.....West Point, Ga.
Clark, William H.....Brunswick, "
Houser, Enoch L.....Autaugaville, Autauga Co.
Huguley, John W.....Berlin, Chambers "
Hoffman, Robert L.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Jenkins, Cullen L.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Lovejoy, George W.....Olustee Creek, Pike "
Maddox, Gabriel B.....Augusta, Ga.
Marshall, Shadrack R.....Paschal, "
Torbert, Luke.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Welborn, Mitchell D.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Wheat, Felix L.....LaPlace, Macon "
Wilborn, Andrew J.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Wright, Phillip P.....LaFayette, Chambers "

B MIDDLE CLASS.

Abercrombie, Ida M.....Montgomery, Montgomery Co.
Austin, Lucy.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Freeman, Hattie L.....LaFayette, Chambers "
Hatcher, Lelia.....Charleston, West Va.
Hendree, Annie L.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Hendree, Tommie.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Holland, Ella.....Tuskegee, Macon "
McDonald, Louisa M.....Selma, Dallas "
Mosley, Lila E.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Renfroe, Carrie.....Warrior Stand, Macon "
Stevens, Julia A.....Selma, Dallas "
Stevens, Louisa.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Stokely, Ella L.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Taylor, Florence.....Pensacola, Fla.
Taylor, Sarah E.....Montgomery, Montgomery Co.
Walker, Norma.....LaPlace, Macon "
Young, Lottie.....Tuskegee, Macon "

Bowen, Lewis.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Collins, Reuben P.....Swamp, Macon "
Cropper, William A.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Flowers, Henry D.....Union, Ga.
Goins, Howell L.....Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa Co.
Harris, Daniel A.....Union, Ga.
Harris, Thomas N.....Montgomery, Montgomery Co.
Henderson, Geo. W.....Troy, Pike "
Hubbard, Creed H.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Johnston, David.....Tuskegee, Macon "
LeGrand, Richmond.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Lewis, George W.....Columbus, Ga.
McClarren, William.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Moore, Robert N.....Brunswick, Ga.
Riley, James.....Roanoke, Randolph Co.
Smith, Benjamin J.....Greensboro, Hale "
Thomason, William E.....Roanoke, Randolph "
Thompson, Edward D.....Cusseta, Chambers "
Treadwell, James R.....Opelika, Lee "
Williams, Major C.....Greensboro, Hale "
Wilson, Jesse.....Columbus, Ga.
Young, Lewis.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.

JUNIOR CLASS.

Allen, Julia C.....Columbus, Ga.
Andrews, Amanda.....Columbus, Ga.
Avery, Mittie C.....Greensboro, Hale Co.
Barnette, Clara V.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Baskins, Kittie J.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Bell, Belle.....Opelika, Lee "
Canty, Lizzie P.....Fort Mitchell, Russell "
Davis, Anna.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Echols, Ellen.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Gooden, Willie.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Harris, Sarah J.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Howe, Laura.....Elba, Coffee "
Howard, Silvia R.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery "
James, Mattie.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Mason, Alice N.....LaPlace, Macon "

McKenzie, Charlotte.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Morgan, Annie.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Mosley, Sallie C.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Murdock, Louisa.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery "
Osburn, Mary A.....Hawkinsville, Barbour "
Paschal, Lula.....Columbus, Ga.
Peterson, Ophelia.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Pope, Carrie.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Pitner, Neelie.....LaPlace, Macon "
Phelps, Susie.....Opelika, Lee "
Phillips, Lizzie.....Columbus, Ga.
Price, Mary.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Saunders, Flora A.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Simpson, Rosebud L.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Smith, Annie.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Taylor, Mary A.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Torbert, Kate.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Williams, Honey S.....Collirene, Lowndes "
Adams, William T.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Austin, Jeff D.....Myrtle, Montgomery "
Ballard, William S.....Montgomery Montgomery "
Battle, Daniel.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Brown, Charles F.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Burks, Joseph.....Notasulga, Macon "
Canty, James M.....Marietta, Ga.
Cobb, Jesse T.....Midway, Bullock Co.
Chambliss, William V.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Clayton, Henry P.....Union, Ga.
Dancer, John W.....Shorter's Station, Macon Co.
Duncan, Eugene.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Echols, Lewis.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Freeman, Henry H.....LaFayette, Chambers "
Flournoy, Smith.....LaFayette, Chambers "
Harris, Aaron.....Union, Ga.
Jacob, Benjamin.....Eufaula, Barbour Co.
Jackson, Abner B.....Eufaula, Barbour "
Jackson, William D.....Eufaula, Barbour "
Johnson, John W.....Tuskegee, Macon "

Johnson, Luther F.....Hamilton, Ga
Johnston, James.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Kenniebrew, Alonzo.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Long, Edgar A.....Tuskegee, Macon "
*Martin, Samuel.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Matthews, Pearley.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Means, Alexander.....Ware, Elmore "
Patrick, Monroe.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Pugh, Lewis.....Cowikee, Barbour "
Perry, John W.....Myrtle, Montgomery "
Pucket, James A.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery "
Robinson, Lee.....Montevallo, Shelby "
Rogers, Frank.....Selma, Dallas "
Shepard, Stephen C.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Simmons, Moses P.....Ware, Elmore "
Snell, John H.....Ozark, Dale "
Sprott, Abram B.....Benton, Lowndes "
Snead, James A.....Forkland, Greene "
Stevens, M. B.....Halawaka, Lee "
Steward, Thomas W.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Stitt, Alexander.....High Shoals, Randolph "
Tarver, Freeman.....Dexter, Russell "
Terrell, Abram.....East Tallassee, Tallapoosa "
Turner, William E.....Citronelle, Mobile "
Thompson, Edward W.....Glennville, Russell "
Upshaw, Alfred W.....Cowikee, Barbour "
Vinson, Elevyer.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Watkins, George J.....Courtland, Lawerence "
Webster, Julius.....Milton, Fla.
Ware, Mark S.....LaFayette, Chambers Co.

PREPARATORY CLASS.

Broadnax, Mary V.....Barachias, Montgomery Co.
Clinton, Mary.....Meridian, Miss.
Davis, Mary J.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery Co.
Dawkins, Sallie.....Guerryton, Bullock "
Dickson, Georgia.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Felder, Martha J.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Golden, Fannie H.....Tallassee, Elmore "

*Deceased

Govan, Alice	Montgomery, Montgomery	Co.
Harrison, Amarintha	Tuskegee, Macon	"
Hendon, Susie	Cotton Valley, Macon	"
Hill, Dora G.	Columbus,	Ga.
Hoffman, Estelle	Tuskegee, Macon	Co.
Hoffman, Clara	Tuskegee, Macon	"
Key, Catharine	LaPlace, Macon	"
Lewis, Pearl	Eufaula, Barbour	"
Lucas, Sarah	Montgomery, Montgomery	"
McClain Ella	Lowndesboro, Lowndes	"
McBryde, Lue	Warrior Stand, Macon	"
Patterson, Katie	Montgomery, Montgomery	"
Perdue, Victoria	Columbus,	Ga.
Sangston, Ella N.	Montgomery, Montgomery	Co.
Sweatt, Alice	Tallassee, Elmore	"
Treadwell, Mattie	Opelika, Lee	"
* Walker, Fannie	Shorter's Station, Macon,	"
Walker, Tempie A.	Hurtsboro, Russell	"
Westbrooks, Mattie	Montgomery, Montgomery	"
Addison, Albert	Swamp, Macon	"
Bickerstaff, Joseph	Waverly, Lee	"
Brazier, George	Montevallo, Shelby	"
Braxton, Atwell	Brunswick,	Ga.
Burnett, William S.	Mobile, Mobile	Co.
Chappell, Noah	Snowdown, Montgomery	"
Coleman, Willie	Hurtsboro, Russell	"
Dawkins, William	Opelika, Lee	"
Edwards, Richard F.	Pine Level, Montgomery	"
Farris, William	Montgomery, Montgomery	"
Ferguson, James C.	Cusseta, Chambers	"
Gazaway, Alfred	Tuskegee, Macon	"
Gulley, James	Kempsville, Monroe	"
Graham, Wiley B.	Wetumpka, Elmore	"
Hoffman, Wesley	Tuskegee, Macon	"
Huff, Henry	Talbotton,	Ga.
Johnson, Anderson	Tuskegee, Macon	Co.
Johnson, Benjamin J	Tuskegee, Macon	"
Johnson, Penny	Pike Road, Montgomery	"

*Deceased.

Joshua, Leonard.....Dexter, Russell Co.
Kyser, David W.....Pollard, Escambia "
McMilian, David W.....Elba, Coffee "
Madison, Henry.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Middlebrooks, Peter.....Talbotton Ga.
Nelson, Charley.....Mt.Meigs, Montgomery Co.
Orso, Gilbert T.....Citronelle, Mobile "
Porterfield, James.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Reynolds, Jefferson D.....Clopton, Dale "
Seatts, William.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Stone, Johnnie.....Selma, Dallas "
Thompson, Bryant.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Tillman, Alvin.....Jacksonville, Fla.
Vause, Jackson.....Lumpkin, Ga.
Ward, Aaron.....Abbeville, Henry Co.
Wood, James C.....Wheeling, Jefferson "
Williams, George.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery "
Welborn, William H.....Hurtsboro, Russell "

NIGHT CLASS.

Banks, Fannie E.....Columbus, Ga.
Brundidge, Leanna.....Fleetwood, Pike Co.
Dismuke, Ella.....Troy, Pike "
Davis, Savannah.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Flowers, Catharine.....Union, Ga.
Flowers, Henrietta.....Victoria, Coffee Co.
Fluker, Ella.....Montevallo, Shelby "
Golden, Mollie.....Tallassee, Elmore "
Golson, Nettie.....Selma, Dallas "
Gomez, Winnie.....Citronelle, Mobile "
Jones, Allean.....Selma, Dallas "
Lawson, Cordelia.....Bloomingdale, Chambers "
Lindsey, Rhoda B.....Mobile, Mobile "
Lloyd, Bertha D.....Troy, Pike "
Motley, Ella.....Tuskegee, Macon "
Moorer, Priscilla.....Greenville, Butler "
Montague, Willie.....Columbus, Ga.
Neal, Louisa.....Atlanta, Ga.
Parks, Mattie.....Union, Ga.

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Pair, Dora.....Americus, Ga.
Scott, Ada.....Lowndesboro, Lowndes Co.
Tucker, Weston.....Columbus, Ga.
Walton, Mary E.....Greenville, Butler Co.
Walton, Nannie.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
White, Susie A.....Macon, Ga
Williams, Eliza J.....Hurtsboro, Russell Co.
Welborn, Cindella.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Wright, Emma.....Cannelton, West Va.

Banks, Alonzo.....Troy, Pike Co
Battle, Amos.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Bell, Charley H.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Berry, William L.....Mt. Hilliard, Bullock "
Blanks, William.....East Tallassee, Tallapoosa "
Browning, John W.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Davis, Albert.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Davis, Thomas.....Hurtsboro, Russell "
Davis, Robert J.....Blacks Bluff, Wilcox "
DeArmon, Chester W.....Tallassee, Elmore "
Fluker, Shadrack.....Montevallo, Shelby "
Foster, Samuel B.....Gainesville, Sumter "
Gresham, Reuben B.....Benton, Lowndes "
Harris, Shepard.....Union, Ga.
Johnson, Milledge B.....Augusta, Ga.
Meadows, William.....Tuskegee, Macon Co.
Nelson, Oliver.....Meridian, Miss.
Parker, Robert.....Cross Keys, Macon Co.
Phillips, John H.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery "
Phillips, John M.....Mt. Meigs, Montgomery "
Pierson, William.....LaFayette, Chambers "
Rhoden, Stephen D.....Montgomery, Montgomery "
Smith, John J.....Cusseta, Chambers "
Todd, Dock F.....LaFayette, Chambers "
Webster, Harvey.....Milton, Fla.
*Wyman, George E.....Montgomery, Montgomery "

*Deceased.

Summary.

Senior Class.	
Girls,	8
Boys,	12
A Middle Class.	
Girls,	15
Boys,	18
B Middle Class.	
Girls,	17
Boys,	22
Junior Class.	
Girls,	33
Boys,	50
Preparatory Class.	
Girls,	26
Boys,	37
Night Class.	
Girls,	28
Boys,	28
Total,	294

Course of Study.

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The regular course of instruction extends through a period of four years.

JUNIOR YEAR.

LANGUAGE.

Elocution.—Physical and vocal drill.

Orthography.—Spelling and dictation exercises (both written) and punctuation.

Composition.—Original composition, oral and written, including sentence making, writing business and friendly letters and composition on general topics ; abstracts.

Grammar.—Analysis of sentences ; parsing.

MATHEMATICS.

Mental and Written Arithmetic.—*Mental,* Analysis and numeral combinations. *Written,* Sanford's Analytical Arithmetic, from factoring to applications of denominate numbers.

GEOMETRY.

Study of lines and angles, and common forms of surfaces and solids.

GEOGRAPHY.

Study of natural and political divisions of land and water, commercial geography, special study of the geography and history of Alabama, and map drawing.

HISTORY.

History and outline of the form of government of the United States. Lives and characters of prominent persons connected with each period.

WRITING

Spencerian copy-books.

CALISTHENICS.

VOCAL MUSIC.

B MIDDLE YEAR.

LANGUAGE.

Elocution.—Physical and vocal drill, phonetics, and examples and definitions of different qualities of voice.

Orthography.—Written spelling and dictation exercises, and punctuation.

Composition.—Oral and written, including writing and telling simple stories, writing business and friendly letters, composition on general topics and abstracts.

Grammar.—Analysis and parsing: simple figures of speech.

MATHEMATICS.

Mental and Written Arithmetic and Algebra.

GEOMETRY.

Inventional.—Text, Spencer's Science Primer

GEOGRAPHY.

Mathematical and Physical.—First half of the year.

ASTRONOMY.

Simple lessons in, during the last half of the year.

HISTORY.

Universal.—Outlines of.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

VOCAL MUSIC.

WRITING.

Spencerian copy-books.

CALISTHENICS.

A MIDDLE YEAR.

LANGUAGE.

Elocution.

Orthography.

Composition.—Oral and written.

Rhetoric.

MATHEMATICS.

Written Arithmetic and Algebra.—Completed.

GEOMETRY.

GEOMETRICAL DRAWING.

FREE-HAND DRAWING.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

HISTORY.

Review of American history in connection with contemporary English.

ZOOLOGY AND BOTANY.

Elementary lessons in.

VOCAL MUSIC.

CALISTHENICS.

SENIOR YEAR.

LITERATURE.

Study of lives and works of English and American authors.

MATHEMATICS.

Review of Arithmetic; Book Keeping.

GEOMETRY.

FREE-HAND DRAWING.

METHODS OF TEACHING.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

Special study of the constitution of the United States, and of the school laws of Alabama.

CHEMISTRY.

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

CALISTHENICS.

VOCAL MUSIC.

In the model school connected with the normal, two regular teachers are employed, under whom the students receive practical training as teachers.

Lectures on current topics are given throughout the course.

General Information.

CALENDAR.

The school opens the first Monday in September, and continues in session nine months, closing the last Thursday in May.

Vacation from the last Thursday of May to the first Monday of September. Students are expected to enter promptly at the *beginning* of the term and *remain* in school till the *end* of the session.

Applicants for admission should be present for examination the first Monday in September.

By commnicating with the Principal, those unable to be present at the opening examination may have special arrangement made for their entrance.

CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION.

For entrance to the JUNIOR CLASS students must pass a satisfactory examination in reading, writing, and the fundamental rules of Arithmetic.

Students able to read and write, and having some knowledge of numbers, but not able to pass the examination for the JUNIOR CLASS, will be admitted to the PREPARATORY CLASS.

All applicants for admission must be at least fifteen years of age, and must pledge themselves to teach two years in the public schools of Alabama after they have become qualified, but they are not expected to teach without compensation; they must also furnish satisfactory proof of good moral character.

EXPENSES.

Tuition is free being provided for by the State and generous individuals.

The price of board including washing, lights, fuel, room rent, clothes mending etc., is $8.00 per month.

Students are given an opportunity to work out an average of $3 per month thus leaving only $5.00 to be paid

in cash. Some work out one half their expenses.

Student labor must be satisfactory in order to be accepted as part payment for board bills. Students who are economical and willing to work rarely fail to find a way to remain in school here. Whatever students do not work out must be paid in cash.

With a good outfit of clothing, $45 is sufficient cash to carry an able-bodied student through one school year (9 months).

The rate of wages is according to the age of the student and the real value of his work. The arrangements are such that students lose nothing in their classes by working out a part of their expenses. At the end of each month,a bill is given to every student showing what he may owe the school or what the school may owe him. Parents should require their children to send their bills home.

When students do not settle their accounts by the 15th of the month they are liable to be suspended from their recitations until they are paid.

Books must be paid for in *Cash*. Money to pay board bills should be sent to the Principal or Treasurer directly, and not to the student. Remittance may be made by money order, registered letter, check, or by express.

All non-resident students are expected to board at the school unless there is some good reason for their not doing so.

Students who need under-garments will find it to their advantage not to purchase such garments before coming here, as the institution will supply under-garments, etc., from the "Girls' Industrial Room" at about cost prices.

The school has adopted as a uniform for the young men, a dark blue suit—which will be furnished by the "Girls' Industrial Room" at bare cost of the material and manufacture. The cost of a uniform, (coat and pants) will be about $13.00.

ADVANTAGES.

The school is situated near the center of the State in one

of the most healthful and cultivated towns and can be easily reached by Railroad.

The institution is one mile from the centre of the town and is situated on a farm of its own.

Those who wish to send their children to a place where they will not be surrounded by the temptations of a large city cannot find a better place than Tuskegee. At present there is only one bar-room in town and after Christmas there will be no whiskey sold in the county.

Tuskegee is a quiet, retired town, just the place for study. It is 40 miles east of Montgomery and 5 miles from Chehaw Station on the Western Railroad with which it is connected by the Tuskegee Railroad. The Western Union Telegraph Co., has an office in Tuskegee. While it enjoys all the advantages of access that a large city does, it is at the same time far enough removed from the main line of travel to make it free from the danger of contagious diseases. The climate is so salubrious that it is very seldom the case that the health of students is not greatly improved after a short residence.

HOME TRAINING.

The *Home* Training that students receive here is one of the most valuable parts of their education. It is our intention to give special attention to the training of girls in matters pertaining to dress, health etiquette, physical development, and general house-keeping. The girls receive the constant and strict care of the matron and other lady teachers and are not permitted to go off the school grounds without being accompanied by a teacher.

LIBRARY AND READING ROOM.

There are three thousand volumes in the library and additions are constantly being made. It is accessible to all. The Reading Room is furnished with the best journals and periodicals.

Students are required to give items of current news every morning.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

The young men and young women, each, have Literary Societies which hold weekly meetings, in which they have opportunities for extemporaneous speaking, and acquainting themselves with parliamentary practices.

REGULATIONS.

The rules governing the school aim to be those which best promote the welfare and happiness of all.

The use of intoxicating drinks and tobacco, is forbidden.

Regular habits as to rest and recreation are required.

Students are liable to be dropped for inability to master their studies, irregular attendance, or failure in complying with the regulations of the school.

Expensive clothing are not necessary nor does the institution want students to wear anything except good plain clothing.

It is well for parents to correspond with the matron regarding clothes for their daughters.

Every girl should come provided with a pair of over shoes and a waterproof cloak.

WORK.

Work is required of all for purposes of discipline and instruction, and of teaching the dignity of labor.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

A few students, with no money, work all day and attend night school. In this way they earn money with which to pay their expenses in the day school the succeeding term. Those who enter as work students, pledge themselves to work for a year from the time of their entrance. They are allowed a regular price for their work and are permitted to draw from the Treasury from $1.00 to $2.00 per month, according to the amount they earn. The remainder of the monthly allowance is reserved by the Treasurer to meet their expenses of board, books etc., when they join the day school.

Those who leave voluntarily or are discharged as unsatisfactory either in work or deportment forfeit three fourths of their cash earnings.

Night students are taken on two months' trial to test their physical and mental ability. Those entering the Night Class are advised to bring a good outfit of clothing from home, and make arrangements with their friends to be supplied with clothing during the term.

What the night students earn during the year added to their earnings while in the day school, and during the three months' vacation, ought to keep them in school for two years.

The object of the work class is to help those who belong to it, to secure an education, and not to make money.

Only able-bodied, capable young men and young women who are eager for an education, need apply for admission to the Night School.

There are hundreds of institutions North and South, to which students can go and receive extended mental training, but those where young men and women can learn a *trade* in addition to other training, are few. At present the industries of the institution are farming, brick-making, carpentering, printing, black-smithing, painting, stock and poultry raising,and house-keeping and sewing for girls.

To these, the institution expects to add tin-smithing, shoe-making, etc.

For the impetus given to the industrial department of the school, it is indebted chiefly to the "John F. Slater Fund."

STATEMENT.

The Tuskegee Normal School was established by act of the legislature of Alabama, passed in 1880, and was opened in a church July 4th, 1881, with 30 students and 1 teacher.

In the same year that the school was opened, the present location (consisting then of one hundred acres of land and 3 small buildings,) was paid for by the friends of the school outside the State appropriation.

The corner stone of the large building (Porter Hall) was laid at the close of the first session, and the build- was completed during the second session at a cost of $6.000.

The school is now in its sixth session and has 20 officers and teachers, and an enrollment of 294 students, representing nearly every county in Alabama, and 5 States.

The appropriation of $2.000 annually, made by the State legislature, at first, for the support of the school, was increased at the session of 1883 to $3.000 annually.

The State appropriation is used entirely to pay tuition.

For money for buildings, land, etc., the school looks to its friends North and South. The property is deeded to a Board of Trustees.

During the 5 years that the school has been in session, the following amounts have been collected.

For Porter Hall	$ 6,500
For Alabama Hall	10,000
For Farm	1,500
For Beneficiary Fund	200
For General Expenses	17,000
For Freight	100
For Furniture	500
For Special Purposes	2,000
From Peabody Fund	1,200
From John F. Slater Fund	3,400
From Students for Board (about)	9,200
Total outside of State Appropriation	$ 52,369
State Appropriation (6 years)	16,000
Total with State Appropriation	$68,369

Including the donations of materials and the improvements made, it is safe to put the value of the property and cash in hand at $65,000.

The entire property is free from debt.

LAND.

To the 100 acres of land with which the school started, a friend in Connecticut recently added an adjoining tract of 480 acres, making the total amount of farming and wood land owned by the school 580 acres.

BUILDINGS.

Alabama Hall has been completed and is now being occupied.

This is a brick building 43x76, four stories high, and contains, besides dormitories for 100 girls, dining room, kitchen, parlor, reading-room and library for all the students.

The new hall now in process of erection will afford more and better accommodations for the young men's sleeping quarters. It is our plan to have this ready for use at the beginning of the next term.

IN GENERAL.

The institution already has facilities for teaching instrumental music. This department, we expect to improve next term so that every student who desires it can have the best training in instrumental music.

The school is undenominational, but students are required to attend church and Sabbath school. They are at liberty to choose their own place of worship.

A regular weekly prayer meeting is held which all are required to attend.

Efforts are made to obtain schools for those students who are competent and wish to teach during the summer vacation.

County Superintendents wanting competent teachers, will be sure of securing them by corresponding with the Principal.

For further information, address

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